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RE: Freedom of Information Law (FOIL) Request # 110413

Dear Mr. Swartz:

This letter responds to your correspondence dated July 8, 2011, which, pursuant to FOIL, requested the following:

“[P]ursuant to the New York State Freedom of Information Law (1977 N.Y. Laws ch. 933), I hereby request the following records:

Any records related to encouraging ISPs and copyright holders to develop a coordinated system for dealing with allegations of copyright infringement.

Background: The July 7, 2011 Hollywood Reporter reported[1] that the MPAA and its member studios, IFTA, the RIAA and its music label members, American Association of Independent Music and its 283 smaller and mid-sized music label members, as well as Internet service providers Comcast Corp., Time Warner Cable, Cablevision Systems, AT&T and Verizon had reached an agreement on a Copyright Alert system to notify consumers about allegations of copyright infringement on their account.

The report says: ‘New York Governor Andrew Cuomo helped bring the parties together when he was attorney general of the state, according to the new partners.’

This request is for any documents related to such actions.

Mr. Aaron Swartz

July 26, 2011

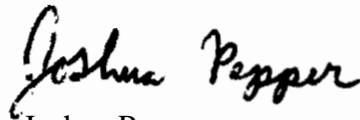
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[1]: <http://www.hollywoodreporter.com/news/entertainment-broadband-companies-partner-curb-208755>"

Please be advised that the Office of the Attorney General has conducted a diligent search and has located no records that respond to your request.

Thus, your FOIL request is closed.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Joshua Pepper". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Joshua Pepper
Assistant Attorney General